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5. Delivered to Mr. Catlett L. Buckner, Staff Member, Senate Subcommittee on Immigration and Naturalization, a blind memorandum of information This memorandum 25X1 is identical to one furnished the Subcommittee on 9 December 1955. Provided for Mr. Fred Mesmer, Staff Director, Senate Subcommittee
on Immigration and Naturalization, a series of maps on North Africa and Southeast Asia for Committee use on pending legislation.
established use on pending legislation.
6. Discussed with Mary Ellen McFarren, Case Worker, office of Senator Jacob J. Javits (R., N. Y.), the letter of 23 January 1964 to the Senator from Alexander I. Rorke, Sr., which was forwarded to us on 17 February 1964. Mrs. McFarren indicated her understanding of the Agency's inability to answer such a letter and indicated that she could handle the matter without further response from the Agency.
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